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EVEN SPLIT ON TAXES FROM THE RAILROADS

Bill for the Apportionment of Railroad Gross Earnings Tax Introduced by Senator Gardner

To Give 25 Per Cent of Total Tax to Counties and Municipalities in Which Railway Property Is

A bill for the apportionment of the railroad gross earnings tax, introduced by Senator Gardner of Brainerd and Representative Rodenberg of St. Paul, gives 25 per cent of the total tax to the counties and municipalities in which railroad property is located.

There is no discrimination in favor of terminal points.

The tax money is to be apportioned in accordance with the amount of untaxed railroad property in each community.

Drainage Project is Presented to Commission

(By United Press)
St. Paul, Jan. 5.—Sen. D. P. O'Neill of Thief River Falls, has presented a drainage project involving the expenditure of \$400,000 to the state drainage commission. It provides for drainage surrounding the Red Lake river basin in Red Lake, Clearwater, Pennington, Polk and Beltrami counties. He said he will urge the United States government to appropriate \$200,000, the Minnesota legislature \$100,000 and will assess the property owners benefited \$100,000.

Deny Villistas Killed French Consul Bernardine

(By United Press)
Washington, Jan. 5.—The state department has received word denying that Villistas had killed the French Consul Bernardine and son of Torreón. The previous report the department had was that they had been slain.

Stakes the Fate of Whole Army in Attempt Halt Villa

(By United Press)
El Paso, Jan. 5.—General Francisco Murguía, the Carranza commander in the north has staked the fate of his whole army in an attempt to halt Villa's northward drive to Chihuahua City, by taking it out to meet the Villistas south of the city. Two trains carrying government forces were captured by Villa, the Carranzistas scattering some forces which were joining the bandits. A small garrison of 1,000 under Gen. Gonzales was left to guard the northern capital. Foreigners are leaving for fear the bandits will slip around the government troops and assault the city.

Death in Wake of Tornado Through Oklahoma

(By United Press)
McAlester, Oklahoma, Jan. 5.—Eleven school children are dead, four fatally injured, eight suffering from broken bones and internal injuries in a tornado that swept over this territory. The people of Pittsburg county have rallied to the support of the stricken district.

EDWARD N. HURLEY.

Head of United States Trade Body Tenders Resignation.



Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the federal trade commission, has resigned unexpectedly to resume business in Chicago. He had a personal conference with President Wilson and his resignation was accepted.

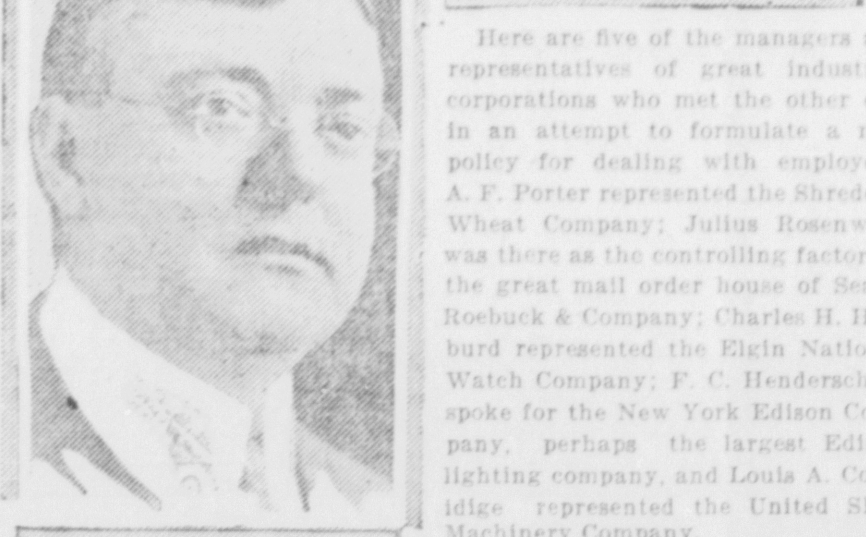
Villa is Forcing Way Through Government Army

(By United Press)
El Paso, Jan. 5.—Villa is forcing his way through Gen. Murguía's army of government troops and is nearing Chihuahua City according to advices reaching the border. The Carranzistas authorities are granting the refugees free trains to the border. The deciding battle for the possession of the city is being fought near Horcasitas.

Managers of Great Corporations Decide on New Policy Toward Their Employees



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While the republican party is taking inventory and preparing for its next national campaign, many Brainerd people consider that excellent timber for a leader exists in Minnesota's young executive, J. A. A. Burnquist, who carried every county in the state and rolled up the largest vote ever cast for a Minnesota governor, in spite of the fact that the democrats nearly carried the state for Woodrow Wilson.

Burnquist is already making his mark as a governor.

Young, aggressive, cultured, experienced, a seasoned campaigner, Governor Burnquist is the ideal candidate for president in an awakening west which in either party has considerable to say in the choice for a president.

Leak to Wall Street Probe by Rep Wood Creates Excitement

(By United Press)
Washington, Jan. 5.—Names of men high up in Washington official and New York financial circles were brought into the house by the "leak to Wall street" investigation by Representative Wood. Basing his charges on hearsay reports and reliable information Rep. Wood, author of the probe resolution, mentioned the names of Secretary Tumulty, Otto Kahn, of Kahn, Loeb & Co., Paul Warburg of the federal reserve board, and Mr. Bolling, brother of the wife of the president. Rep. Wood became confused when a demand was made for supported facts and failed to mention one fact that would vouch for Secretary Tumulty who sent a statement to the capital demanding an apology from Rep. Wood. At the end of an hour Rep. Wood through the rules committee went into executive session, and when he took the stand and asked for a private session it was denied. The suggestion that Secretary of State Lansing and Secretary Tumulty be subpoenaed was overruled.

SENATOR WORKS.

California Solon Flays President and His Policies in Speech.



Photo by American Press Association.

RETIRING SENATOR ATTACKS PRESIDENT

Washington, Jan. 5.—With an arraignment of President Wilson's administration and of what he called decadence in American society and government, Senator John D. Works of California, who retires March 4, began a valedictory speech in the senate. He deplored a "tendency toward centralized, unchecked and unlimited" power on the part of the president, denounced profligacy of wealth, recommended that the idle rich be compelled by law to work, and urged formation of a new Progressive political party known as the "Liberty party."

Senator Works declared usurpation of power by the president had amounted "practically to a dictatorship." Referring to executive pressure on legislation, he said:

"If this kind of executive coercion is persisted in and submitted to by congress, then our government is no longer a government of the people. It is not a democracy. It is not a republic. It is a despotism worse than any known monarchy."

He reviewed the Wilson administration in great detail. In urging repeal of the Panama free trade clause, he said the president had "demanded to the level of a common lobbyist," and the submission of congress, he described as a "humiliating spectacle."

Germany Preparing Great Offensive on the West Front

(By United Press)
London, Jan. 5.—That the Germans are preparing a great offensive on the west front is the view of the allies. The desperate need of peace which is believed inspired the German proposal is thought, now that the peace plans are rejected, to be behind a gigantic thrust in the west as Germany's supreme effort, a French dispatch indicating that it would be started in February.

German public opinion is believed to be dangerously near breaking under the suffering from food privations, and the German government is thought to realize that they must be fed and some great military attempt made.

London is awaiting the publication of President Wilson's peace note suggestions. The note will probably be handed to the American ambassador at Paris.

Germany Requests U. S. to Remove Minister Vopicks

Washington, Jan. 5.—Germany has requested the United States government to remove Minister Vopicks from Bucharest, which request will probably be granted.

PUBLIC EXAMINER LAUDS DEPARTMENTS

Says Crow Wing County Official Affairs are Well Conducted and Economically Administered

Books of All Departments were Found in Excellent Shape, Says Charles R. Boomstrom, of St. Paul

Charles R. Boomstrom, assistant public examiner who examined the books of all departments at the court house, said of Crow Wing county that county affairs were well and economically administered and the books were in excellent shape.

This has been his third visit at the Brainerd court house since his appointment.

Sheriff's office, probate court, clerk of the court, treasurer, county auditor and register of deeds departments were examined. All accounts were found to be in excellent condition. Sheriff Theorin last year collected over \$2000 delinquent personal property taxes.

Mr. Boomstrom does his work in thorough manner and he seeks to be an aid to every department by making suggestions for the better dispatch of business when he finds such things necessary.

In speaking of Brainerd, he praised the city and its industries.

"If I ever leave St. Paul," said he, "there is no town I would like better to settle in than Brainerd. It has a great future before it."

Mr. Boomstrom was recently in Birmingham, Alabama, great iron center of the south, and he said the time was not far distant when Brainerd would probably be the center of a "banding" plant such as is established at the Alabama city, where low grade ore is crushed by electrical power and the refuse separated, thus bringing to standard much ore which would otherwise be neglected and never utilized.

SCHOOL CHILDREN DIE IN TORNADO

Eleven Are Victims of Storm Near McAlester, Okla.

ONLY TWO ESCAPE INJURY

Teacher Is Severely Hurt—Many Children Are Hurled Far From the Scene of Catastrophe—Other Sections Struck by Wind.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 5.—Eleven school children were killed, four probably mortally hurt and eight seriously injured when a tornado wrecked a rural school house thirteen miles northwest of McAlester.

The school building, a Baptist Indian mission, and four farm houses were wrecked and a half dozen other farm houses were lifted from their foundations in the storm which swept a narrow path for a distance of six miles.

Miss Vera Carter, the teacher, was reported to have been found severely injured. She was taken to a hospital in McAlester.

Storm First Strikes Richville.

The storm struck first at Richville in Pittsburg county in Southeastern Oklahoma, wrecking a boiler room and tippie at one of the coal mines, then lifted and did no further damage until within a quarter of a mile of the school.

Tearing the home of E. L. Warren from its foundation and wrecking the Choctaw Indian mission across the road, the tornado swept up the valley for nearly a mile, suddenly changed its course and ripped the school building from its foundation.

Dying and injured school children were hurled down the hillside and across a ravine, some of them being picked up as far as a hundred yards from the site of the building.

Only two children of the twenty-eight in the building, Fred Perry and Ralph Brummett, escaped entirely uninjured.

HAND TO HAND BATTLE

(By United Press)
Berlin, Jan. 5.—An official report says that the capture of Slobozia and Rosetti, Rumania, has been announced. Cerguet Rimanul, a Rumanian town, was captured after a hand to hand fight the battle proceeding from house to house. The Germans took 1004 prisoners and six machine guns.

COASTS SAFELY UNDER TRAIN

Iowa Boy Has Narrow Escape While Sliding.

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 5.—Arthur Sturtevant, aged seven, was "crossed" by the local traction company when it ran a special car on the trolley line past the hill on which he was coasting, and passengers on the car screamed as Arthur's sled shot squarely between the trucks and emerged untouched on the other side.

The boy had avoided all the regular cars by careful timing.

Auto Firm Head Kills Self.

Cincinnati, Jan. 5.—Frank J. Enger, president of the Enger Motor Car company of this city which was recently re-organized with a capital stock of \$3,000,000, shot and killed himself in his office here. Mr. Enger is said to have been in ill health for months.

Will Clear Name of Murder Stain if it is Possible

(By United Press)
Pittsburgh, Jan. 5.—The name of Bernard Wesley Lewis will be cleared of actual connection with the murder of Maizie Colbert, if possible. Wenman A. Lewis, the father of the young broker, has planned an investigation with the hope of learning if the suicide was not an act of hysteria instead of denoting guilt.

Desire to Avoid Dumping Monroe Doctrine Motive

(By United Press)
Washington, Jan. 5.—A desire to avoid dumping the Monroe doctrine overboard seems to be the actuating motive behind the senate fight against the Hitchcock resolution endorsing President Wilson's action in dispatching peace notes to the belligerents.

60,000 ADDICTS IN BAY STATE

Is Claim of Body Investigating Use of Drugs in Massachusetts.

Boston, Jan. 5.—An estimate that 60,000 persons in this state are addicted to the drug habit was included in the report of a commission appointed by Governor McCall to investigate the drug evil.

The habit, it was stated, is not confined to any particular class of people.

The commission found that the present laws are inadequate and suggested various remedies to meet the situation.

In its investigations, the commission discovered that one physician wrote 4,055 prescriptions from May to September last, which were filled by one druggist, and that he issued 255 other prescriptions in the same period.

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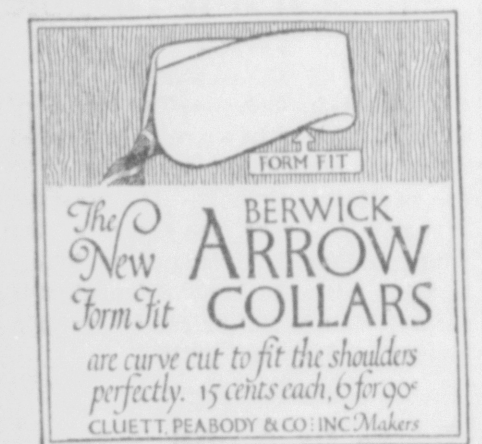
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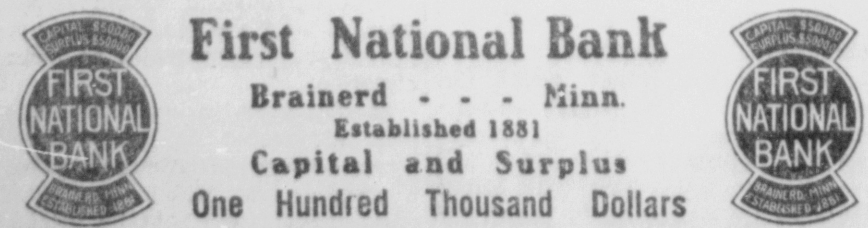
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will explain if you will come in.

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terest from Jan. 1st.

Savings interest for the past six months is now
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THE WEATHER**Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.**

Generally fair south portion, prob-
ably unsettled north portion tonight
and Saturday. Colder tonight near
Lake Superior. Rising temperature
Saturday and extreme west portion
tonight.

Weather report from Theodore Mil-
ler, Brainerd observer:—
January 4, maximum 24 above,
minimum 2 below.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,
gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Both phones. North-
west 74, Automatic 274.

For spring water phone 264.

J. S. Anderson has gone to Staples.
T. F. Cole, of Deerwood, was in the
city.

John Olson has returned from a
visit in Bemidji.

Mrs. Mal D. Clark is visiting rela-
tives in St. Paul.

Miss Irene Hodgden, of Aitkin,
visited in Brainerd.

Attorney G. S. Swanson was at Pil-
lager on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Gough and son,
of Deerwood, were Brainerd visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spalding will
spend the winter at Orange River,
Florida.

E. O. Webb and daughter, Miss
Margaret, went to St. Paul this af-
ternoon.

R. W. Crust went west on the
Northern Pacific on a factory inspec-
tion trip.

Jerry M. Glunt has returned from
a visit in Peru, Indiana, and Cincin-
nati, Ohio.

Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Purdy have re-
turned from a visit with her parents
in Perham.

The officers-elect of Pap Thomas
Post of the G. A. R., were installed
Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Reis and Miss Thelma
Reis have returned from a visit with
relatives in St. Paul.

Miss Blanche Canfield, visiting L.
A. Canfield and family, has returned
to her home in Brown town.

If you patronize home industries
you will have a greenhouse here that
can grow all the cut flowers.

Mrs. Harry Carlson has returned
from Winona where she visited her
parents during the holidays.

A. Brockman, the furrier, has re-
turned from Minneapolis where he
spent the holidays with his family.

Frank Wohlfader, of Tompkins,
Saskatchewan, Canada, is visiting old
friends in South Long Lake township.

Miss Delyah Koop has returned to
her home in Brainerd after a visit at
the E. A. Berg home.—Little Falls
Transcript.

Mail or send the copy for your
want ad to the Dispatch, or telephone
it. Both telephones, Northwest 74,
Automatic 274.

Bishop Morrison, of Duluth, will
visit St. Paul's Episcopal church Sun-
day, February 11, to administer the
rite of confirmation.

The fifth annual ball of the Retail
Clerks' Union will be given at the
Gardner auditorium on Wednesday
evening, January 17.

Mrs. John H. Hill, of Iron ton,
passed through Brainerd Friday on

her way to Los Angeles, Cal., where
she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Harriet Huber, of Cedar Rap-
ids, Iowa, left for her home today af-
ter spending the holidays with her
daughter, Mrs. E. B. Rowley and
family.

Miss Ada Heltz has returned to her
home in Minneapolis after a three
weeks' visit at the home of her sis-
ter, Mrs. H. C. Zierke, and her broth-
er, E. W. Heltz.

At the vesper service Sunday after-
noon at the First Congregational
church Rev. G. Phil Sheridan will
preach on the theme "The Carpen-
ter's Son." Service commences at
4:30 o'clock.

Do you want any landscape work
done in the spring. I am drawing
several plans for parties who have
spoken to me about it, what about
you; let me call to see you. S. N.
Mehlin.

Mrs. Clyde E. Parker, of Brainerd,
and Miss Donna Lyman of Bemidji,
have gone to Florida where they will
spend the balance of the winter.
They went to Daytona, and will also
spend some time at Sea Breeze and
Miami.

Fancy carnations 75c and 60c per
dozen. Order flowers at home and
save express. Roses \$1.50 to \$3.00
per dozen. Mehlin's Greenhouses.

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ly if his proposition is a good one,
and if you keep him on the job. Use
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the cost is very moderate too and re-
sults attained are usually good.

A judgment of \$1,400 was placed
on record in the district court for
Samuel Meads, a minor, against the
Minnesota & International railway,
for injuries received, and the com-
pany paid the award the same day.
M. E. Ryan was attorney for Meads.

State Oil Inspector A. M. Opsahl
has returned from a visit at the cap-
itol. Mr. Opsahl said his position
would not necessitate the removal of
his family to St. Paul and that he
would retain his residence at Brain-
erd, probably spending three or more
days of the week at St. Paul.

We will have a large shipment of
extra choice carnations and roses Sat-
urday. Mehlin's Greenhouses, N. W.
Phone 774.

The first to pay personal and real
property taxes in Crow Wing county,
this year's taxes, was Marcus Wil-
lard, of the First Assessment district,
residing near Gull lake. Closely fol-
lowing him in the payment of realty
taxes were A. R. Cass, Sr., and Anton
DeFlouna. A. R. Cass, Jr., followed
closely in the payment of his personal
taxes.

A telegram from C. A. Lindbergh
who has been in Minneapolis for sev-
eral days with his daughter, Mrs.
Geo. W. Christie, states that the lat-
ter is doing nicely and that he plans
to leave for Washington soon. Mrs.
Christie has been gaining steadily
since going to Minneapolis and a
quick recovery is now looked for.—
Little Falls Transcript.

Dispatch want ads are 1c a word
first insertion, half a cent a word
thereafter. Both telephones, North-
west 74, Automatic 274.

First Aid to the Deaf.

A reader sends this novel suggestion,
which may prove serviceable in an
emergency to those whose hearing has
been impaired: "A friend who is deaf
made me acquainted with a very sim-
ple aid to hearing which I wish to pass
on to others. It is nothing more than
a mailing tube. Any kind of paper can
be used, however, by simply rolling it
into a tube and speaking into the end,
letting the other rest against the ear
of the deaf person. I am about as deaf
as they ever get and have spent hun-
dreds of dollars with specialists, but
this simple roll of paper beats them
all. Even a newspaper can be used."—
St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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about 30,000,000 persons.

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ward for any case of Catarrh that can-
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and believe him perfectly honorable
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cially able to carry out any obliga-
tions made by his firm.—National
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**PERSONAL PROPERTY
TAXES DUE IN 1917**

The Dispatch will publish from
time to time the list of personal prop-
erty taxpayers of Crow Wing county
and of the city of Brainerd. The
compilation of the list takes some
time, as it affords every taxpayer the
opportunity to see what his friend or
his next door neighbor is paying.

These taxes are due and payable
January 1. On and after March 1 a
penalty of 10 percent attaches to de-
linquent payments. Many in Brain-
erd take pride in being among the
first to pay their taxes.

(Continued)

Benson, Andrew	1.98	Broad, Bruce J.	12.16
Bentley, C. J.	1.59	Brooks, H. E.	2.45
Benson, Mrs. Christina	1.59	Brown, Geo. H.	2.92
Bennington, W. O.	4.11	Brose, S.	.90
Bentley, C. B.	.90	Brown, William	7.95
Benson, Chas.	1.52	Brown, Catherine	3.57
Benson, Peter	6.19	Bruce, Mrs. Bertha	1.91
Benda, Thos.	6.19	Bruhn, C.	2.54
Belse, Dr. R. A.	68.70	Buckler, Noah	1.07
Berbee, M.	28.25	Budd, L. S.	10.37
Beste, Nicholas	.69	Bundy, Mrs. Mary	2.58
Betzold, Mrs. Henry	3.18	Burill, L. W.	1.81
Betzold, N. W.	2.83	Burnett, C. L.	43.78
Bevier, C. A.	22.79	Burton, O. E.	7.59
Blern, A. L.	2.80	Burris, William	20.94
Billings, Martha A.	1.85	Bush, J. W.	2.02
Bislar, Geo. W.	11.14	Buskala, Andrew	2.19
Bislar, P. R.	7.40	Butka, August	2.66
Bislar, F. M.	1.63	Byak, Albert	4.04
Blackburn, Thos. T.	1.46	Bye & Peterson	252.41
Blake, Ed. R.	9.63	Bye, Jno. M.	12.82
Blake, J. W.	1.42	Bane, M. L.	15.75
Blank, Herman	.82	Bane, W. W.	.38
Bliss, Elizabeth A.	5.72		
Blomstrom, J. E.	6.19		
Bloom, John	3.61		
Blewitt, T. C.	6.62		
Blomstrom, Elmer	3.83		
Bogganatos, R. L.	1.72		
Boppel, Art	12.73		
Boppel Ed.	9.16		
Borken, Jacob	11.44		
Borken, Isador	6.28		
Boswell, George	2.15		
Bouck, Geo. J.	1.50		
Bourquin, Wm.	4.04		
Bourquin, S. H.	1.42		
Bourassa, L.	9.85		
Bourassa, Myrtle	3.31		
Bourquin, R. F.	5.12		
Boyd, James	.65		
Brand, Rev. E. F.	1.76		
Brady, John	.77		
Brady, J. E.	29.93		
Bradford, C. G.	2.92		
Brainerd Chapter No. 42,			
R. A. M.	5.72		
Brainerd Theatre & Amuse-			
ment Co.	43.00		
Brady, William	3.27		
Brainerd Improvement Co.	8.60		
Brainerd Sash & Door Co.	43.00		
Brady, T. H.	2.75		
Brainerd Fruit Co.	52.38		
Brainerd Dispatch	102.38		
Brainerd Creamery Co.	32.34		
Brandt, Joe	1.98		
Brandt, Frank	9.85		
Brunswick-Balke-Collender			
Co.	2.88		
Brainerd Bargain Store	43.79		
Brainerd Model Laundry Co	178.39		
Brainerd Grocery Co.	295.38		
Brainerd Oil Co.	41.28		
Brainerd Lodge No. 615 B.			
P. O. E.	23.58		
Brainerd-Cuyuna Mining Co.	35.82		
Brainerd State Bank	226.18		
Brainerd Brewing Co.	13.85		
Brackner, O. J.	.73		
Britton, Fred L.	.73		
Britton, J. C.	3.57		
Britton, F. J.	1.80		
Britton, N. H.	1.42		
Britton, John F.	4.00		
Brecht, J. H.	4.08		
Bredenberg, K. S.	9.91		
Bredenberg & Erickson	108.02		
Brockway & Parker	64.40		
Brockway, W. E.	14.96		
Calkins, E. E.	3.22		
Campbell, W.	.90		
Canan, Marie A.	12.13		
Canniff, W. T.	6.02		
Canan, W. H.	3.18		
Carlson, W. T.	3.74		
Carlson, John A.	1.63		
Carlson, J. & Son	348.52		
Carlson, John	8.68		
Carlson, Harry	4.65		
Carney, Ellen	2.80		
Carmichael, Mabel	1.08		
Carbine, Mrs. Ella	1.98		
Carlson, Eloy G.	4.47		
Carlson, August	1.25		
Cass, A. R.	1.55		
Carlson, Helga E.	23.22		
Casey, Jas. F.	3.01		
Cater, A. A.	1.63		
Caulfield, Thos.	1.03		
Chadbourne, G. W.	3.27		
Chamber of Commerce	17.20		
Chrysler, Irvine	3.10		
Christoff, Nick	4.13		
Citizens State bank	388.12		
Clark, D. M.	8.73		
Clark, Mal	16.94		
Clark, D. M. & Co.	273.35		
Clark, Henry	2.75		
Clark, Chas. B.	4.77		
Clarks, Paul	9.16		
Cleary, W. H.	11.29		
Clemenger, W. J.	1.03		
Clemens, T. J.	2.97		
Clausen, J. C.	3.31		
Cobb, W. C.	5.07		
Cocks, C. P.	5.59		
Cochran, J. A.	1.50		
Cochran & Hebert	8.60		
Cody, Rev. R. E.	5.93		
Cogger, R. A.	1.37		
Coffrain, S. P.	32.61		
Cohen, A. K.	12.47		
Cohen, Henry I.	7.65		
Congdon, H. W.	17.72		
Colvin, Rev. A. B.	4.68		
Converse, Mrs. Edie	.90		
Coutu, Geo. E.	3.22		
Congdon, M. B.	9.55		
Conant, J. C.	.90		
Cook, Mrs. W. H.	1.33		
Cook, Fred C.	21.45		
Cook, E. J.	1.72		
Cole, C. E.	2.45		
Coppersmith, Frank	.82		
Coppersmith, G. A.	1.99		
Cossette, Mary	.77		
Cosgrove, Mrs. T.	1.42		
Courtney, Walter	109.05		
Cowles, L. C.	7.01		
Courtney, Hildegard	52.42		
Craddock, R. C.	1.76		
Crowley, Jerry	2.84		
Crowell, Elizabeth E.	15.14		
Crowell, T. H.	22.33		
Crow Wing Cash Store	64.78		
Crust, Edward	6.91		
Crust Bros.	4.30		
Cullen, Miss Maude	12.90		
Cullen, Edmond	4.21		
Cullen, James	27.22		
Cummins, John J. Jr.	2.24		
Cummins, John J. Sr.	1.72		
Cunningham, C. W.	5.72		
Curtis & Hendrickson	11.00		
Curtis, Otto	.90		

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ANNUAL MEETING BAPTIST CHURCH

Review of Years, Work Reveals Progress for First Baptist Church Over Previous Record

CHURCH ENTIRELY OUT OF DEBT

Societies Have Balance in the Treasuries—New Officers are Elected for Next Year

The annual meeting of the First Baptist church was held last evening and the reports of the years work revealed progress over the record of previous years in almost every department.

Treasurers of the church and its different societies reported all bills paid and most of them reported a nice balance in the treasury. The grand total raised during the year by the church and its auxiliary societies for expenses and missionary work amounted to \$2,366.61. The amount reported laid by for the building fund was \$1,320.00.

The report of the clerk showed a net increase of 29 in membership. Not one death has occurred in the membership of the church during the year.

The officers elected were as follows:

Deacon for three years—Henry Thon.

Trustee for three years—W. E. Lewis.

Clerk—Frank Roberts.

Treasurer—L. O. Kelsven.

Financial Secretary—Charles Rice.

Missionary Treasurer—G. A. Tracy.

Organists—Mrs. E. Powell and Mrs. Henry Olson.

Chief Usher—J. Clark Hayes.

Sunday school officers were elected as follows:

Superintendent—G. A. Beale.

Assistant—L. O. Kelsven.

Treasurer—Arthur Thon.

Secretary—Arthur Lyddon.

Organist—Mrs. G. A. Tracy.

Chorister—A. J. Lyddon.

Supt. Primary Dept.—Miss McKinney.

Assistant—Miss Mabel Olson.

Supt. MHI Mission—Charles Swindell.

Assistant—William Rolf.

At the close of the business session a social time was enjoyed and refreshments served. The church motto adopted for the year is the text found in Joshua 1:9.

"Fair and Warmer"

When Selwyn & Company present "Fair and Warmer," the Avery Hopwood farce which transported all New York and Chicago with joy for one year, at the Park opera house Saturday evening, January 13, it will be in answer to the most imperative demand that has been made for a New York success within the memory of the oldest inhabitant.

"Fair and Warmer's" quickly-got reputation of being able to make anybody and everybody laugh, and laugh uproariously and incessantly through three dazzling acts, created its unprecedented popularity. It was a season when even the best thrills paled beside the lure of laughing. Before the end of half the farce's first year run, the whole country was asking for it.

Selwyn & Company will send it here with an admirable cast of farceurs and the complete New York production.

Frank's NEW Market

Special for Saturday

BEEF		OYSTERS	
Fancy Rib Roast	15c	Standards	50c
Pot Roast	12 1-2 and 15c	Selects	60c
Boiling Beef	10c	FRESH FISH	
Round Steak	15c	Northern Pike	8c
Porterhouse	15c	Pickel	8c
VEAL		Halibut	18c
Veal Roast	15c	Fresh Cod	18c
Veal Stew	12 1-2c	Fresh Herring, 6c or 5 lbs.	25c
Veal Chop	15c	Kraut, quart	
Veal Steak	15 and 18c	Spare Ribs	
HOME MADE SAUSAGE		Dill Pickles	
Pork Sausage and Hamberg	15c	Home Rendered Lard	
Link Sausage	15c		
Cream Sausage	18c		
Blood Sausage	10c		

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MRS. M. J. SIMMONS

Mrs. M. J. Simmons has created a position for herself; she is a pioneer in work that has never before been undertaken. For she is now the food and sanitary inspector in two of the largest hotels in New York City, the Claridge and the McAlpin. Lordly chefs, tyrants of the kitchen, have to show her that the food they serve the guests is not filled with germs. Not only does she watch the hotels, but the health and cleanliness of the employees in the kitchen departments. The physical side of food handling, especially the women, to see that they wear sensible shoes for working, dress comfortably to give their bodies plenty of freedom—care of teeth, and the importance of bathing, all are in the roster of her day's work, with occasional lectures and demonstrations on the care of the hair, the right kind of bath, the care of throats and air passages, for her subjects often are young girls and women from the peasant classes of Europe, who, while excellent workers and willing, are at first woefully ignorant of the most common matters.

WOMAN REGAINS SPEECH AT DIVORCE TRIAL

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 5.—A divorce proceeding in the district court here brought back speech and hearing to a woman who had been deaf and dumb for sixty-eight years. She is Mrs. Cordelia Kirkpatrick, seventy-two years old, and was before Judge A. W. Dana to obtain a divorce from her husband, who also was deaf and dumb.

Riddle.

A warm little house, red roof, red floor; A white picket fence near the wide front door, And in the little house a nimble little man Who talks, talks, talks as hard as he can.

Answer.—The mouth.

Minnesota Road Work.

The state of Minnesota is now one of the leaders in the United States for good roads. Work is planned from state aid on 3,000 miles of road, with funds amounting to over \$4,000,000.



Scene from "Fair and Warmer," Selwyn & Co.'s comedy sensation which ran two years in New York and now in its second season at the Cort Theatre, Chicago. At Park opera house Saturday night, January 13th.

ODD FELLOWS IN NEW HOME

At Deerwood They Now Occupy Second Floor Over Carlson & Crone Grocery Store

JULIUS HAGE VISITS PARENTS

Ladies Aid Societies Hold Meetings and Elect Officers—Oberg Sons Visit Parents

Deerwood, Minn., Jan. 4.—A. S. Nygord is now employed as a salesman by a St. Paul firm. He spent Christmas with his family in Deerwood.

Miss Jean Gordon, of Minneapolis, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quinlivan.

Julius O. Hage spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hage, of Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Gough and son were Brainerd visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carlson are the parents of a pretty little baby girl.

Mrs. Edward Blackwood has returned from a visit in Minneapolis.

The Bay Lake Fruit Growers Association took an inventory this week.

The Swedish Lutheran Aid society elected these officers: President Mrs. Charles W. Oberg, vice president Mrs. Jacob Palmer; secretary Mrs. Anton Berg; treasurer Mrs. Peter Swanson; treasurer of the flower fund, Mrs. Andrew Olson; in charge of the Ladies Aid hall, Mrs. Ray Barber.

Mrs. Robert Archibald and Olsen Skau presented the Swedish Lutheran church with two beautiful brass candelabras.

Mrs. P. L. Melberg has recovered from her illness.

The annual meeting of the Methodist Aid society was held at the home of Mrs. P. K. Wetzel on Wednesday afternoon. New officers were elected.

Attorney H. E. Peterson was at Brainerd Wednesday attending to legal matters.

R. R. Graham attended the poultry show at Atkin.

C. W. Oberg, employed at Minneapolis, spend the holidays with his family.

Editor Charles G. Osterlund saw "The Sweden of Today" pictures at Brainerd. He was accompanied by Olsen Skau.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ernster, who are the parents of H. J. Ernster, and Theo. Umhoefer, his grandfather, all of Brainerd, spent Christmas in Deerwood at Mr. Ernster's home.

The second floor over the Carlson & Crone store has been altered and made a hall and is now occupied by the Odd Fellow lodge.

Charles Blomen, of Henning, is visiting relatives.

F. E. Oberg, who spent the holidays with his parents, has returned to Minneapolis.

Coughed Fifteen Years

Coughs that hang on and grow worse in the night are relieved by Foley's Honey and Tar. R. F. Hall, Mabe, Va., writes: "For 15 years I was afflicted with a troublesome bronchial cough and irritation of the throat. Foley's Honey and Tar relieved me; and after taking one bottle the cough ceased." H. P. Dunn, druggist—Advt. mwf

HIGH SCHOOL DEDICATION

Will be Held Thursday, January 18, at Crosby—Large Attendance is Expected

BLACK DIAMOND TRAIL ASSN.

Rev. F. B. Stevenson, of Red Lake Falls to Fill Presbyterian Pulpits Ironton and Crosby

Crosby, Minn., Jan. 4.—Rev. F. B. Stevenson, pastor of the Red Lake Falls Presbyterian church, has accepted a call to fill the pulpits of the Ironton and Crosby churches.

Crosby's first municipal Christmas tree proved a grand success and it will doubtless remain a feature of the holiday celebration each year.

E. G. Ingalls, of Albert Lea, spent Christmas at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingalls.

Dance licenses have been granted H. J. Anderson and the Workmen's party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koop and son Billy spent the holidays with his parents in Brainerd.

A. O. Rabideau has returned from a business trip to Duluth.

Miss Lella Pitt, teaching at Waverly, Iowa, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Pitt.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Crosby are spending the holidays with relatives in Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carhart spent the holidays with relatives in Superior, Wis.

Oscar W. Peterson, head bookkeeper of the Rogers-Brown Ore Co., at Cuyuna, was in Crosby Sunday and Monday.

C. L. Benedict, M. F. Crosby and A. J. Hayes were at St. Paul and attended a meeting in the interests of the Black Diamond Trail. It has been decided that the trail will pass through Crosby.

Mrs. Harry Peterson has returned from Brainerd where she visited the past three weeks. Her little daughter, Irene, was very sick.

On January 6 the school district will vote on the \$100,000 bond issue for a grade building in Ironton.

The high school dedication will be held on Thursday, January 18, and it is expected that the whole county will be represented by delegations.

The Presbyterian Aid society met with Mrs. Walter Guigren on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Vogan, a normal student at Duluth, is visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Goff are the parents of a baby boy.

James McGuire has returned from Rush City.

Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c

Don't Miss This. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds, and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

Old Juan Can in "Ramona"

Old Juan Can, the shriveled-up foreman of the Camulos ranch, in Helen Hunt Jackson's "Ramona," is a character as picturesque and interesting as any in literature or the drama—and he has lived in literature for nearly a third of a century and now makes his appearance to-the-life in the drama, in Clune's massive cinema-theatrical production "Ramona," which is to be seen at the Empress theatre, matinee and evening, on Tuesday, January 16, for 25 cents.

He was a faithful old soul who had behind him many long years of good service in the family of the Morenos, but his falling was gossip. Old Juan loved to talk and sometimes his tongue was the cause of trouble. It came near being so in the case of Ramona's mysterious birth, which Juan unguardedly blabbed to Alessandro, the Indian.

The Senora Moreno, Juan's mistress, religiously kept safe from any but the inner-most circles of her family affairs like this, which indirectly concerned her dead sister, the beautiful Ramona Ortega, and Juan's foolish old tongue might have brought his instant dismissal had his blabbings reached the Senora's ears.

Juan's tastes were very simple and easily satisfied and it was well for his peace of mind that they were—in that isolated country at that time. Plenty of strong tobacco, a good sheep dog as a constant companion; frijoles, tortillas and chili three times a day; a south veranda upon which to stretch his legs in the evening and a few agreeable Peons to listen to his yarns constituted his dream of earthly luxury.

It is during the sheep-shearing time so realistically represented in the picture that this too cock-sure old

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JOHN LARSON

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps us fit.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and poison-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject. Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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Silver Leaf or McMillan's Lard, No. 10 pails	\$1.74
Silver Leaf or McMillan's Lard, No. 5 pails	.88
Silver Leaf or McMillan's Lard, No. 3 pails	.54
Fresh Eggs, per dozen	.37
Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb.	.42
Granulated Sugar, 25 lb. sack	1.88
New York Baldwin Apples, 10 lbs.	.40
New York Baldwin Apples, bushel basket	1.58
Fancy Lemons, per dozen	.28
Wisconsin Cream Cheese, lb.	.23
Sunmaid Seeded Raisins, 3 packages	.35
Not-A-Seed Seedless Raisins, 3 packages	.42
Baker's Chocolate, per lb.	.37
Shelled Walnuts, per lb.	.48

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Entered at the post office at Brainerd, Minn., as second class matter.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1917.



The punitive expedition dispatched by President Wilson after the Columbus massacre last March to take Villa "dead or alive" is to be withdrawn from Mexico because of the complete failure of the negotiations with Carranza. The general staff holds that Pershing is in a perilous position and that instead of taking "Villa dead or alive," Pershing is in danger of being taken "dead or alive." The bandits' army is now almost equal numerically to the American forces. With the withdrawal it will be a fight to a finish between Carranza and Villa.

A car of mail destroyed by fire on the Milwaukee road near Hastings and which was reported to be Christmas parcel post was in reality a car of catalogues from a Chicago mail order house. People who have overdue Christmas presents need not be alarmed but the mail order buyer will be a little late in getting his spring list to select from.

"Do Farmers Need Money," is a glaring headline in the city papers. If it is discovered that coin of the realm is not necessary for farmers you can get us back to the soil as speedily as possible.

BURNING THE LEAVES.

A Foolish Waste of What Might Be a Valuable Fertilizer.

Many tons of valuable fertilizer are wasted every year through our practice of raking the fallen leaves from lawns and parks into the street and burning them. We destroy one of the best of nature's fertilizers, that on which she relies for the renewal of the vegetable humus in the soil.

All nature's protection is removed in the interest of tidiness. Then we wonder why lawns must be so frequently reseeded and why grass seed "won't catch." The fallen leaves protect the roots of grass and shrubs from the freezing and thawing of winter and, deposited in a corner of the back yard with a little earth thrown over them to prevent their blowing away, in a year or two are converted into what the forester calls "duff," an organic material which makes the loam that grows the farmer's best crops.

It is an excellent top dressing for the lawn and enrichment for flowers and shrubs and, mixed with a little ordinary earth, a most desirable soil for filling the window boxes and repotting plants, something hard to get in town. It is invaluable to the amateur gardener who utilizes his back yard, and yet it is almost invariably wasted. We pay thousands of dollars every year for phosphates and nitrates and overlook this valuable product of nature's laboratory.—Detroit Free Press.

Nature's Monument to Washington.

Among the many monuments to Washington is the one which every visitor to the Cape Verde islands will remember as one of the most colossal and marvelous freaks of natural sculpture in existence. Along the farther side of the harbor of San Vicente, the principal town, rises a bold ridge of dark gray volcanic rocks, the crest of which forms an exact likeness of our immortal George, seemingly lying face upward, as if in a peaceful sleep. The hero's large, bold features, the backward wave of the hair, his massive shoulders and even the fringe of the shirt front are all reproduced on a gigantic scale with wonderful exactness. The strange monument, sharply outlined against the deep blue of the tropical sky, is one of the first objects that meet one's eye in approaching the island.

No Time.

"My tailor has promised to have my suit done tomorrow."

"Do you think he'll give it to you on time?"

"Oh, no; I'll have to pay cash."—Boston Transcript.

PRACTICAL DEMOCRACY

(A Series of Articles on the Short Ballot Movement)

BY H. S. GILBERTSON

II—How the Long Ballot Crippled Democracy.

The previous article ended with the question: "Does liberty vary with the length of the ballot by the people, as our grandfathers thought?"

New York state, like all the rest of the Union, went on the theory that it did. But somehow New York became notorious for the power of a class of men who stood above the people and ruled them like oriental satraps. Never was the story told more eloquently or with greater authority than by Elihu Root in his great speech on the Short Ballot in the New York Constitutional Convention in 1915:

"What is the government of this state? What has it been during the forty years of my acquaintance with it? The government of the constitution? Oh, no; not half the time, or half way. When I asked what did the people find wrong in our state government, my mind goes back to those periodic fits of public rage in which the people rouse up and tear down the political leader, first of one party and then of the other party. It goes on to the public feeling of resentment against the control of party organizations, of both parties and of all parties.

"Now, I treat this subject in my own mind not as a personal question to any man. I am talking about the system. From the days of Fenton, and Conkling, and Arthur, and Cornell, and Platt, from the days of David B. Hill, down to the present time the government of the state has presented two different lines of activity, one of the constitutional and statutory officers of the state, and the other of the party leaders—they call them party bosses. They call the system—I don't coin the phrase, I adopt it because it carries its own meaning—the system they call invisible government. For I don't remember how many years, Mr. Conkling was the supreme ruler in this state; the governor did not count, the legis-



lators did not count; the comptrollers and secretaries of state and what not, did not count. It was what Mr. Conkling said, and in a great outburst of public rage he was pulled down.

"Then Mr. Platt ruled the state; for high upon twenty years he ruled it. It was not the governor; it was not the legislator; it was not any elected officers; it was Mr. Platt. And the capitol was not here; it was at 49 Broadway; Mr. Platt and his lieutenants. It makes no difference what name you give, whether you call it Fenton, or Conkling, or Cornell, or Arthur, or Platt, or by the names of men now living. The ruler of the state during the great part of the forty years of my acquaintance with the state government has not been deceived. Every one of our respective commonwealths is conducted in essentially the same way as New York. The bosses may be a little less brazen and picturesque and possibly more highminded, but bosses they are for all that. Long ballot government creates boss government with the same certainty that water runs down hill.

But why? The next article in the series will explain.

PUBLISHERS WANT STATE PAPER MILL

Minnesota Legislature to be Asked to Pass on the Shortage of Print Paper Problem

ATTY.-GENERAL DRAWS BILL

Is in Accordance With the Proposal of the Minnesota Editorial Association

Attorney General Lydon A. Smith is giving personal attention to the drafting of a bill for introduction in the next session of the legislature providing for the establishment of state owned paper mills on state timber lands.

This bill is being prepared in accordance with the proposal of the Minnesota Editorial association. The leaders in the movement are Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel, and Herman Roe of the Northfield News, members of the committee on legislation.

Some action of this kind has been urged by the Minnesota editors because of the situation in the print paper market which threatens many Minnesota newspapers with discontinuance unless some relief is obtained.

There is some question as to the legality of such a law as the supreme court rendered an adverse decision about twenty years ago on a proposal that the state engage in commercial business. But Mr. Smith is of the opinion that conditions have so changed that this old ruling can not now be taken as a precedent and he feels confident that a bill can be drafted that will be constitutional and effective in affording the relief sought.

Open to Conviction.

"Do you, Mr. Stacks, think that a rich man can go through the eye of a needle?"

"I don't know. I will, however, admit that my lawyers have dragged me through some very small loopholes."—Puck.

How It Works.

Mrs. Crawford—Her mother slaved all her life in order to give her an education. Mrs. Crabshaw—Now she's turned around and is trying to educate her mother.—Life.

Stopped Children's Croup Cough

"Three weeks ago two of my children choking and coughing, and I as wthey were having an attack of croup," writes Billie Mayberry, Eckert, Ga. "I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and gave them a dose before bedtime. Next morning their cough and all sign of croup was gone." H. P. Dunn, druggist.

A REMEDY FOR COSTLY DITCHES

L. M. Depue, Former Brainerd Man, Extensive Land Owner of Northern Minnesota Has Plan

TO APPEAL TO LEGISLATURE

Wasteful for State to Spend Thousands Improving Lands Which Will Never Bring Good Price

Further light on the alleged fallacy of building drainage ditches under some of the present legislation and methods in Aitkin, Beltrami and St. Louis counties was offered, says the Duluth News-Tribune, when L. M. Depue, an extensive land owner of northern Minnesota, formerly of Brainerd, announced his intention of taking the matter directly to the present legislature for remedial legislation.

The announcement follows close on the heels of the expose by G. G. Hartley of Duluth, also a former Brainerd man, of the alleged squandering of public moneys on ditches in Aitkin county, made in a letter to C. C. Andrews, secretary of the state forestry board. The News-Tribune states: "My interests take me constantly through sections of Aitkin, Beltrami and St. Louis counties, where swamps are being drained by the state," said Mr. Depue, at the McKay hotel last night, "and while I am always a supporter of any legitimate improvement project, the present method of building ditches represents plain, everyday squandering of the people's money.

"The best example is shown in the projects to improve some of the many scattered small tracts of state land which are entirely, or almost entirely surrounded by unimproved speculators' property. The state has many 40-acre tracts scattered about the northern part of it.

"I own a section of land in Cass county, and almost in the center of it is a 40-acre tract owned by the state. My land entirely surrounds it. Suppose the state should drain that tract, who would benefit the most, the state, with its paltry 40 acres, or myself with my hundreds of acres through which the ditch must pass? Of course that particular tract has not been proposed for drainage, but similar projects are being carried out in the other counties.

"Mr. Hartley's letter shows up the system in its true light. As he says, building peat roads on the sides of the ditches lessens fire protection without providing justifiable highway. I shall take this matter up with every interested taxpayer and land owner of the state that I can reach, in the hope that the united ac-

REMOVAL SALE

Last Saturday morning promptly at 8 o'clock began the Big Removal Sale. From that hour on to the close of the day every one of us kept step with tick of the clock. Suits, coats, sweaters, underwear, shirts, etc. were in big demand---everybody seemed to be out on the hunt for bargains. Tomorrow will be a busy day---new bargains are filling up gaps, adding scores of new opportunities to economize on winter purchases.

Here are Good Values You Should Get Tomorrow

You'd better get in at the start---come tomorrow. Certainly in this list of items there must be something you need NOW. The weather demands warm wearables---here they are, priced downward to the point where it would be folly not to buy if you anticipate the slightest need for them.

All Men's Suits At Substantial Reductions

\$25.00 Men Suits	Reduced to.....	\$18.75
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\$20.00 Men Suits	Reduced to.....	14.75
\$18.00 Men Suits	Reduced to.....	13.75
\$15.00 Men Suits	Reduced to.....	10.75
\$12.50 Men Suits	Reduced to.....	9.75

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\$9.00 Coats at.....	\$7.45
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\$8.00 Coats at.....	\$6.45
\$7.50 Coats at.....	\$5.95
\$7.00 Coats at.....	\$5.45
\$6.00 Coats at.....	\$4.75

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\$10 Coats, 38 in. long.....	\$7.45
\$8 Coats, 36 in. long.....	\$5.9

All Men's Overcoats Radically Reduced

\$30.00 Overcoats	Reduced to.....	\$21.75
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\$22.50 Overcoats	Reduced to.....	16.75
\$20.00 Overcoats	Reduced to.....	14.75
\$18.00 Overcoats	Reduced to.....	13.75
\$15.00 Overcoats	Reduced to.....	10.75

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DEFENDING FORCES ON NARROW STRIP

London, Jan. 5.—Except for a narrow strip of land projecting into the Danube marshes toward the Moldavian town of Galatz, all of Dobruja has been cleared by the Teutonic allies of Russian and Roumanian troops.

After the fall of Matchin and Jijila, the defenders in a retreat across the Danube toward Braila and, according to Berlin, a force of Russian rear guards on the peninsula projecting toward Galatz, comprises the only entente troops in Roumania between the Danube river and the Black sea.

In Moldavia the Teutonic allies, notwithstanding the heavy snows, are continuing their invasion of the country from the south and the west, although along the front of Field Marshal von Mackensen in the former region, they are meeting with strong resistance at various points from the Russian and Roumanian troops.

In the Carpathians the Russians, in an attack, captured from the Germans an advanced position north of Meste-Caneel.

On the other fronts the operations still are confined to reciprocal bombardments and engagements between small scouting parties.

NORWEGIANS ARE AROUSED

Object to Britain Placing an Embargo on Coal.

London, Jan. 5.—A Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that most of the Norwegian papers have attacked the British minister in Christiania in connection with the embargo on coal proclaimed by Great Britain.

The Norske Intelligenziller reports that the Norwegian reply has been handed the British representative and leaves no doubt that Norway is loyally maintaining the export prohibitions regarding fish and other goods.

The Gazette says that there is a great quantity of coal in Norway and no prospect of a shortage.

tion of these may bring about some remedial laws.

"Almost all of the good lands have been sold already," he declared, "and it certainly is wasteful for the state to spend thousands of dollars extravagantly improving lands that probably will never bring a good price."

BRITISH TRANSPORT IS SUNK

Ivernia, Carrying Troops, Is Torpedoed in Mediterranean.

London, Jan. 5.—The British transport Ivernia has been sunk, it was announced officially here. One hundred and twenty army officers and soldiers and thirty-three of the crew are missing.

The Ivernia was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean Jan. 1 while carrying troops.

The Cunard liner Ivernia, a 14,278-ton steamer, has been in the British government service as a transport for some time, having at various times carried troops from Canada and between British ports and the Darda nelles.

FIFTY BILLION WAR COST

Entente Nations Have Spent More Than Enemies.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The increase in the national debt of Great Britain, France, Russia, Germany and Austria-Hungary is estimated by the federal reserve board at \$49,455,000,000 from the beginning of the war to the latter part of 1916, with the exception of Austria-Hungary, in whose case the estimate extends only to May, 1916.

Twenty nine billions is the three entente nations share of the total and twenty billions is that of the two central powers.

Two Zeppelins Lost in Fire.

London, Jan. 5.—Two Zeppelins have been destroyed at Tondern, Schleswig, by a fire due to defective electric wiring in a recently constructed double shed, a Reuters dispatch from Copenhagen said.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

Have You Been Sick?

Then you must know that sickness leaves weakness and you should commence taking

SCOTT'S EMULSION

to put an edge on your appetite, put power in your blood, induce restful sleep and restore your nerve force. Scott's is a true tonic-food which is free from alcohol.

Scott & Bowne, Elmfield, N. J.

BEST THEATRE

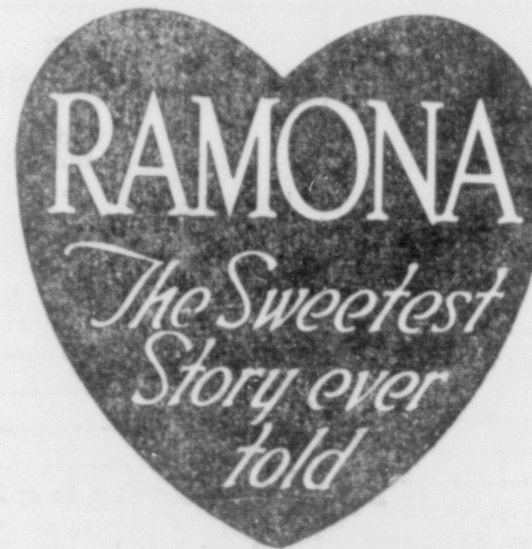
TODAY	Gail Kane in "THE MEN SHE MARRIED"	Matinee 3:00 Eve. 7:30 & 9
TOMORROW	Frank Keenan in "THE PHANTOM"	Matinee 3:00 Eve. 7:30 & 9

Buy Yourself a Coupon Book Today

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Admission 5c and 10c

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BILLIE BURKE in "Gloria's Romance"	



Will Be Shown Here Soon

THE DISPATCH

The Place to Do Your Advertising

E. P. SLIPP STARTS HARDWARE STORE

"Brainerd Hardware Company" to Commence Business on or Before March First

A COMPLETE STOCK BOUGHT

Associated With Mr. Slipp Will be W. A. Slipp, Son of the Late F. J. Slipp

E. P. Slipp, in the hardware business the last 15 years, has formed the "Brainerd Hardware Company," associating with him W. A. Slipp, son of the late F. J. Slipp and will open their store in the Fitzgerald block near the corner of Broadway and Laurel on or about March first.

A complete general stock of hardware has been purchased which will be shipped to Brainerd February 1. New shelving and fixtures will be installed. Particular attention will be paid the farmers' trade, contractors and builders.

Mr. Slipp said the stock will be as complete as any in the city. He has been in the hardware business many years, first with his brother and later with the Slipp-Gruenhausen Co.

Friends are assured the new firm will do considerable business and that a large trade will be built up.

NEXT MEETING APRIL 10

Upper Mississippi Medical Society Will Have Next Gathering in Little Falls

The next meeting of the Upper Mississippi Medical society will be held in Little Falls on April 10. The next annual business will probably go to Brainerd as usual.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Dec. 6.

Leitha Brundrett and husband to A. Gilson und. 1-45 int. in 1-2 sw, av of sw, lot 2 of 25-43-32 qd \$1 etc.

Hildegard S. Barnum, formerly Hildegard Snyder and husband to Rosalie A. McClenahan part of lot 3 of 24-45-31 wd \$3000.

William E. Dean and wife to John I. Driggs, und. 1-2 int. in minerals in sw of ne, nw of nw; the se of nw, ne of nw; the nw of se and e-1-2 se of 23-138-25 wd \$1 etc.

James Greenwalt widower, et al to Wesley A. Gilson in 1-2 sw and sw of sw and lot 2 of 25-43-32 qd \$1 etc.

Fred Guilmet, single, to Ruby Byrne part of se of ne of 34-43-32 qd wd \$200.

Mary M. Howe and husband to Daisy J. Beale lots 11 and 12 blk. 3, A. E. Taylor's Addn. to City of Brainerd qd \$20.

Nettie Pulliam and husband to Wesley A. Gilson 1-2 sw, sw of sw and lot 2 of 25-43-32 qd \$1 etc.

Ellen Fisher et al to Daisy J. Beale, lots 11 and 12 blk. 3, A. E. Taylor's Addn. to City of Brainerd qd \$1 etc.

Dec. 7

Clarence Avery and wife to Edward Crust av of ne, 17-44-29 wd \$1 etc.

George J. Brandreid and wife to Edwin P. Mapes se of 23-44-29 wd \$1 etc.

Lucy Cameron and husband to James Coppess se of se of 11-138-29 wd \$445.

Charles Creglow and wife to The General Realty Co. lot 3 of 29-44-31; n-1-2 of ne of 29-44-31 wd \$2800.

The General Realty Co. to The Suburban Realty Co. lot 3 of 29-44-31 and n-1-2 ne of 29-44-31 wd \$5600.

James Holmes and wife to Charles Creglow lot 3 of 29-44-31 and n-1-2 ne of 29-44-31 qd \$1 etc.

IN DISTRICT COURT

Case of Bernice Jordan vs Harry Jordan Heard This Morning

In district court Judge B. F. Wright heard the case of Bernice Jordan, by her guardian Thomas A. Dalton, vs Harry Jordan. This was an action for the annulment of the marriage of the plaintiff Bernice because, it was alleged, she was only 14 and the defendant had misrepresented her age to the clerk of the court when he got the license. The court heard the testimony and took the case under advisement.

No Higher Price for This

While food and clothing have advanced in cost, it is well for the sick that the price of reliable family remedies as Foley Kidney Pills are not increased. Foley Kidney Pills cost little and relieve backache, pains in sides and loins, sore muscles, stiff joints, rheumatic pains and bladder trouble. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

DEATH REAPS A HARVEST

Mrs. Mary Anderson, Wife of Frederick A. Anderson, of West Brainerd, Called

BABY JOHNSON, PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Anna Nason, Aunt of Mesdames Olson and Hess, Passed Away at Thief River Falls

Mrs. Mary Anderson, age 68, wife of Frederick A. Anderson, died this morning at her home in West Brainerd. Death came as a result of a paralytic stroke of a week ago. She leaves a husband and no children. She had a brother in Norway and several sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have been residents of Brainerd the last 13 years. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Swedish Lutheran church, Rev. Eloff Carlson officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

Death of Baby

Gustave Johnson, three months son of Gus. R. Johnson, living on East Oak street at the outskirts of Brainerd, died Thursday of stomach trouble. The funeral was held this afternoon from the home, Rev. M. L. Hostager officiating.

Death of Mrs. Anna Nason

Mrs. C. A. Olson and Mrs. G. W. Hess received the sad news that their aunt, Mrs. Anna Nason, passed away yesterday at Thief River Falls. She was a kind, loving Christian woman, loved and admired by all who knew her. She was 78 years old and is survived by four sons and one daughter. The past ten years she has made her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Supt. and Mrs. J. H. Hay, of Thief River Falls.

ENLISTS TO ESCAPE COLD

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 5—Chilled with the icy winds of northern Minnesota, and seeking a more congenial climate, Charles Johnson, a hardy lumberman from Aitkin, enlisted in the United States Marines Corps here today, and was immediately transferred for training to Mare Island, California.

"The lumberjacks can't stand the cold this winter," said Johnson, while asserting that hundreds of men inured to the hardships of life in the woods are leaving the lumber camps, owing to the unusual severity of the weather.

Johnson requested to be sent with the Marines to Santo Domingo or the Philippines as soon as possible, as he is convinced that a long sojourn near the equator will be necessary to thoroughly thaw him out.

Dust in the Eyes

Notwithstanding the best fitting goggles automobile drivers are frequently inconvenienced quite seriously by dust in their eyes, and, although it seems impossible to exclude the dust, the subsequent treatment for the inflammation of the conjunctiva is quite simple. A solution of borax in warm water will quickly remove the dirt and may be applied either by means of an eye-cup or by a small swab of cotton, particular attention being given to wiping out the inside of the lower eyelids, where the bulk of the dust will collect. Besides cleansing the eye, this solution will be found decidedly soothing and to allay the natural inflammation.—Scientific American.

Threads as Complexion Charms.

The girls of Roumania country districts take great pride in a clear, healthy complexion, and just as the girls in our own rural districts a generation ago would get up before breakfast and steal down unobserved on the first day of May to wash their freckles away in the dew of the morning so the girls of Roumania take red and white threads, twist them into cords, from which they suspend cords around their necks. These talismans they wear from the dead of winter to the moment they see the first blossom of spring, feeling sure that thereby they will guarantee themselves a milk white complexion, rosy cheeks and ruby lips.—National Geographic Magazine.

RIGHTS OF MAN.

The sacred rights of mankind are not to be rummaged for among old parchments or dusty records. They are written, as with a sunbeam, in the whole volume of human nature by the hand of divinity itself and can never be erased or obscured by mortal power.—Alexander Hamilton.

China has the world's oldest chain bridge.

Whiting is the best and cheapest polish for silver.

"Bikins says his wife is painfully literal."

"She must be if she was that way when he told me she went at him hammer and tongs."—Baltimore American.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist in Message to Legislature Submits Report of Organization

CO-OPERATION HAS BEEN SOUGHT

Views of the Commission on a Change in Composition of the State Board of Health

(Minnesota Public Health Assn.) Governor Burnquist in his message to the legislature submitted the report of the Public Health commission by him last summer. He also called attention to the fact that the efficiency and economy commission embodied in its report all of the recommendations covered in the report of the public health commission except that the two differed slightly regarding the manner of appointing the commissioner of health. The report reads as follows:

"The commission as a whole has held numerous hearings, and has also through committees investigated phases of public health work. Officials of the State Board of Health, the advisory commission, the board of control, the department of education, the state live stock sanitary board, the dairy and food department and the department of labor have been consulted. A large number of individuals have been interviewed privately.

"The co-operation of the public health committee of the efficiency and economy commission and that of the child welfare commission have been sought. Valuable documents have been accumulated and studied. Correspondence has been had with experts on public health and tuberculosis work in this and other states. The present laws on public health and tuberculosis have been carefully studied. The excellent report on public health conditions in this state made three years ago by Dr. Carroll Fox of the federal health service has been systematically reviewed in the light of present experience. Reorganization of the board—The organization of the board of health should be radically changed. The number of members should be reduced to five. The only qualification for membership should be citizenship in the state.

"The present statute provides that the board of health be composed of experts in sanitation. This provision was satisfactory at the time of the adoption of the law; its effect has been to provide a board composed almost exclusively of physicians. As time has gone on the differentiation between the physician in practice and the public health expert has steadily increased. Today public health work is a distinct profession. It is impossible to find members for a board of nine possessing in a strict sense the qualifications prescribed by the present law.

"This commission believes that it would be much better to have a board composed of responsible citizens from various walks of life. A broader view point and broader interest would be scored. The people in general would be less likely to look upon the rules of the board as arbitrary and unreasonable requirements of the medical profession. Our recommendation is in harmony with the best modern ideas on this subject. Commissioner of Health—The commissioner of health should be a man trained in sanitary science and in public health administration. No restriction as to prior residence should be placed on his appointment. He should be a man possessing the qualities of social leadership—a man of imagination combined with tact and common sense.

Educator Rather than Police Officer—The leading public health experts assert that education rather than police power is the most effective agent in the hands of a health organization. The teachers should be taught and through them the children. Parents should be reached so far as possible and surely the younger generation should be taught before the blighting influence of wrong habits has rendered right living difficult if not impossible. Here is a great opportunity for cooperation with the educational interests of the state. Exhibits, bulletins, lectures and demonstration should be a constant part of the public health work. At present the board says it can carry on none of these activities because it has no money.

To Stop Self-Poisoning

For furred and coated tongue, biliousness, sour stomach, indigestion, constipation and other results of a fermenting and poisoning mass of undigested food in the stomach and bowels, there is nothing better than that old-fashioned physic—Foley Cathartic Tablets. Do not gripe nor sicken; act promptly. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

If a regiment of 1,000 men, with equipment of 60,000 pounds, marches ten miles it does as much work as laborers raising a weight of 200,000 tons a distance of one foot.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.
Store Hours
Open 8:30 a.m.—Close 5:30 p.m.
Close at 9 p. m.
Saturdays and Paydays

FRANK'S MARKET IN NEW SHOP

Meat Market Removed From 1304 Oak Street to 1111 Oak Street, Southeast Brainerd

HAS TWICE THE FLOOR SPACE

Fine Glass Front, Hardwood Floors, Large Basement for the Sausage Department

Frank's meat market is established removing to that place from 1304 Oak in new quarters at 1111 Oak street, street.

The new location is in the building owned by Frank Milloch and the latter has everything arranged in the most convenient manner for carrying on his largely increasing business. There is twice as much floor space. There is a fine glass front, giving a view of the clean, sanitary shop.

The floors are of hardwood. A big refrigerator measuring 10 by 12 feet has been installed together with much in the way of new fixtures, etc. The floor space of the shop measures fully 24 by 60 feet and on the opening day the shop in its new quarters, the room was crowded with patrons.

In the basement one section taking up three-quarters of the floor space equipped with cement floor and plastered walls, light, etc., is devoted to the sausage department where all kinds of these edible products are manufactured and Frank guarantees that the home kind excels anything imported. The other section of the basement is devoted to storage purposes.

In speaking of his new shop, Mr. Milloch said, with some measure of pride: "Southeast Brainerd and much of the city as a whole is starting the New Year right by trading here. We have a delivery system that covers every part of town and we are rapidly extending our trade into every corner of the city. We are thankful for the large business done last year and hope to largely increase the same this year."

TO LEARN ENGLISH

Americanization of the Immigrant Population is Being Sought by the Government

"Make a Christmas present to your country by inducing one nonEnglish speaking immigrant to learn the language of America." This is the message apropos of the holiday season, which the bureau of education of the department of the interior of Washington, D. C., is sending to all those interested in bringing about greater national unity through the Americanization of the immigrant population. The annual decline in attendance of adult immigrants upon evening classes following the holidays is the cause for this unusual appeal. This action is part of the "America First Campaign," begun by the bureau Sept. 1, to extend the facilities provided for the education of immigrants, and to induce the largest number of immigrants to take advantage of school opportunities.

The national committee of 160 appointed at that time by the United States commissioner of education has enlisted the co-operation of chambers of commerce, industries, editors, patriotic societies, and other agencies, both public and private, in all parts of the campaign. The ready response demonstrated the timeliness of the campaign. Reports from school authorities indicate pronounced interest on the part of the foreigner in learning English and studying about America. Attendance in many cities has doubled as a result of the national movement and local effort directed along lines suggested by the schedule of standards and methods in publicity recently projected by the bureau.

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"Game wardens will render all possible assistance in the care of birds in winter and may be called upon for instructions in preparation of feeding stations, suitable food and other help and advice. Every public school should be a center of bird care and conservation in winter; the boys and girls become intensely interested when properly directed by their teachers. Boy scout troops will gladly render valuable service in this work.

Skirts to Your Measure During January and February At Special Prices

During January and February our alteration department is not running at full capacity and to keep the organization intact we will make up skirts, at very reasonable prices, from materials selected from our stock.

We will give you splendid service at a most reasonable charge. Come in at once if you want a skirt to measure.

Store Opens at 8:30--Closes 5:30
Store Closes 9 p. m. on Saturday and Pay Day

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

SHOULD FEED THE BIRDS IN WINTER

Carlos Avery, State Game and Fish Commissioners, Pleads for the Feathered Songsters

FEEDING STATIONS ARE NEEDED

Suet, Seeds of Various Kinds, Ground Meat Scraps are Gladly Welcomed by the Birds

"Feed the birds in winter," says Carlos Avery of St. Paul, State Game and Fish Commissioner.

"The birds which remain with us in winter are always in imminent danger of starvation during periods of deep snow and low temperature. Many birds live on foods obtained from the ground—others from weed tops and plants that are covered by deep snow. Much can be done to supply the birds with food and many bird lives can be saved by a little care and attention at this time.

"Feeding stations should be established near residences for such winter birds as the downy and hairy woodpeckers, chickadees, nuthatches, brown creepers, evening grosbeaks and other winter residents or visitors. Suet, seeds of various kinds, ground meat scraps, etc., placed in artificial feeding stations, or in any suitable place, will attract the birds in large numbers. Suet may be fastened to branches of trees, grain may be scattered on straw or litter in sheltered places which may be protected by boughs to prevent covering with snow.

"In the fields, thickets and woods shelters should be provided for the quail and food placed for them during the winter months. Quail are not native to Minnesota but are becoming very hardy and with care and attention in winter may be made very plentiful. The care of the bobwhite quail is an effort worthy of all farmers and sportsmen as it is a bird most beneficial to agriculture and a highly prized game bird. On account of their habit of roosting in compact groups on the ground quail are often smothered by drifting snows which become hardened by frost and ice. Loosely constructed shelters will prevent this.

"Prairie chickens gladly accept corn and alfalfa grain when their natural feeding places are buried in snow.

"Starvation and exposure are not the only causes of mortality among birds in winter. Mink, weasels, house cats, wandering dogs, foxes, and great horned owls are dangerous and destructive enemies of birds in the winter season. Shelters which may be prepared for quail should be of such loose construction that the birds may easily escape these enemies.

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"Game protective associations, sportsmen's clubs, farmers' clubs, Audubon societies, bird clubs and all citizens are earnestly urged to take an active interest in the important work of caring for the birds in winter. Reports of such work done by clubs or individuals will be welcome.

"Assistance rendered by newspaper

BRAINERD MAN MADE MANAGER

Reuben Nylund, First With Western Union at Brainerd and North American at Duluth

NOW MANAGER AT SUPERIOR

Joe J. Lenz, Formerly at Superior, Promoted to Manager of Grand Forks, N. D., Office

Reuben Nylund, of Brainerd, has been appointed manager of the Superior, Wis., office of the North American Telegraph Co. He was an operator at the Western Union offices for some time and later went to Duluth and was an operator for the company which has now promoted him to be manager. Mr. Nylund is a good telegrapher, office man, and thoroughly reliable and his friends here are glad to hear of his promotion.

Joe J. Lenz, for about three years the Superior manager, has been promoted to be manager of the office of the North American at Grand Forks, N. D. This office is one of the most important in that state, handling a heavy business due to the grain transactions and agricultural interest generally as well as many manufacturing plants.

pers in giving publicity to this appeal will be greatly appreciated."

BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES TODAY

One of Henry Krause's New Year's resolutions was to discard his mustache and off went the black hair of the mustache on the first day of 1917. He presents a changed appearance to day and friends have urged him to grow another.

Today, with all food-costs high, NONE SUCH still sells at 10c a package.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

Today, with all food-costs high, NONE SUCH still sells at 10c a package.

Same Quality
Same Price

MERRELL-SOULE CO., Syracuse, N. Y.

YES! MAGICALLY! CORN LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You simply say to the drug store man, "Give me a quarter of an ounce of freestone." This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn from one's feet.

A few drops of this new ether compound applied directly upon a tender, aching corn should relieve the soreness instantly, and soon the entire corn, root and all, dries up and can be lifted out with the fingers.

This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that, while freestone is sticky, it dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

Don't let father die of infection or lockjaw from whitening at his corns, but clip this out and make him try it.

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COME TO THE
St. Paul Outdoor Sports
Carnival

January 27 to February 3
National Ski Tournament
January 29th and 30th

The greatest Professional and Amateur Jumpers of the World will participate. 50,000 Costumed Carnivaliers in Parades and Pageants. Speed and Fancy Skating. Ten Rinks, Big Curling Bonspiel, 8 Mammoth Toboggan Slides.

The Biggest Event the Northwest has ever known. Bring your family and friends and have the time of your lives.

"MAKE IT A HOTTER ONE"

SPORT NEWS

KARHUNSAARI TO MEET FRANCIS

Finn and Canadian Champion to Wrestle Finish Match in Brainerd on January 25

AT BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

Regulation Mat and Three Rope Ring to be Shipped From St. Paul for Wrestling Match

The widely heralded return wrestling match between Al Francis of St. Paul and Henry Karhunsari, Finnish wrestler, has been landed for Brainerd for the evening of Thursday, January 25th at the Park opera house. It was only after both men had been made a number of offers by local fans that an agreement was entered into by both men.

St. Paul promoters have been bidding for the bout ever since the hotly contested match which ended here in a draw for both men. Al Francis suffered two fractured ribs while the Finn also sustained a number of bruises. Telegrams were received from both men yesterday clinching the match for this city and local promoters are to be congratulated on their hustling ability to land the show.

Both have agreed to wrestle for 60 per cent of the gross gate receipts with a guarantee of \$100 while a side bet of \$100 will also be made by the managers of both men. The bet will be posted within the next week.

A regulation mat and a three-rope ring is to be shipped from St. Paul and erected on the stage of the opera house so as to avoid any repetition of the trouble in the last bout, while a referee will be agreed upon by the men that will force both men to follow Police Gazette rules closely.

The last match was handled in a very satisfactory manner by the third man, Fred C. Cook, but owing to the Finn being unable to understand his instructions thoroughly, considerable difficulty was met by him in compelling both men to stay on the mat.

An advance sale of seats will be announced within a few days while towns in a radius of 50 miles will be billed thoroughly so as to bring together the largest crowd of wrestling fans in the history of the mat game in Brainerd.

* BIG BEERS ARE DOOMED; *
* PRICE GOES UP. *
* Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 5.—It *
* looks as if big beers were *
* doomed in Oshkosh saloons. *
* The three brewing companies *
* manufacturing here have rais- *
* ed the price on barrel and bot- *
* tle goods and saloonkeepers *
* say the high cost of living may *
* compel them to reduce the *
* size of glasses, as charging 6 *
* cents is not favored. *

STEAL LIVE TROLLEY WIRE

Chicago Thieves Undaunted by Death Carrying Voltage.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—A live trolley wire carrying voltage sufficient to kill a man had no terrors for four men who invaded Berwyn, west office, and escaped with more than 800 feet of the wire.

Cutting of the wire crippled the service of the traction company and a wrecking crew discovered the four men in two automobiles loaded with the wire. Shots were exchanged, the police said, between the wrecking crew and the wire takers. One of the automobiles with a thousand feet of wire was abandoned and the marauders escaped in the other automobile.

MEETING OCCURS JAN. 15

Delegates From Patriotic Societies Will Confer.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Representing more than twenty societies organized for patriotic purposes and to advocate military preparedness delegates from all sections of the United States will meet here Jan. 15 for a conference on their work and consideration of co-operative plans to further their usefulness.

The conference is to be held at the invitation of Mrs. William Cumming Story, president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Speakers of national reputation will attend.

Bank Official Recommends Them

T. J. Norrell, vice president of the Bank of Cottonwood, Tex., writes: "I have received relief and recommend Foley Kidney Pills to any one who has kidney trouble." Kidney trouble manifests itself in many ways—in worry, by aches, pains, soreness, stiffness, and rheumatism. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

IN NEW QUARTERS

Coffrain Barber Shop and Billiard Rooms now Located at 514 Front Street

The Coffrain barber shop and billiard rooms recently removed from the Walverman block to 514 Front street adjoining the Ransford hotel lobby are now comfortably established and greeting all old and many new customers.

The place has been entirely remodeled and decorated. New maple flooring has been laid. The four pool and one billiard table are well patronized. The shop has three chairs.

SHORTHORN STRING SELLS FOR \$17,745

St. Paul, Jan. 5.—The highest priced cattle ever sold at a public auction changed hands at South St. Paul when sixty-two head of pure bred brought \$17,745 at a sale under the auspices of the Minnesota Shorthorn Breeders' association.

The top figure for the sale was attained by Marshal's Masterpiece, a bull owned by O. F. Menkel of Kenyon, which went to R. C. Olfery of McCluskey, N. D., for \$1,935. Cheers greeted the sale.

Banner Blossom IX., a yearling heifer, owned by S. G. Ellason of Montevideo, Minn., was a close second, bringing \$1,010. The purchaser was M. J. Thompson of Montevideo, a neighbor of Mr. Ellason's. This cow won the blue ribbon in her class at the show. Marshal's Masterpiece also won first in his class at the show. The average price for the bulls was \$250, while the cows averaged \$278.50.

GREGORY TAKES UP PROBE

Assigns Lawyers to Examine Disclosures in Print Paper Report.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Attorney General Gregory has assigned attorneys of the department of justice to confer with federal trade commission officials and to examine disclosures contained in the commission's recent inquiry into conditions in the print paper market, "as a basis for determining what further steps to take."

It was intimated at the department of justice that grand jury consideration of information in the department's hands might be expected soon.

LAWSON AGREES TO TESTIFY

Financier Postpones European Trip and Notifies Speaker.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Thomas W. Lawson telegraphed Speaker Clark he has canceled plans for a trip to Europe and will be in Washington "before breakfast" Monday to testify before the house rules committee which ordered public hearings on Representative Wood's charge that a leak gave Wall street advance information about President Wilson's peace note. Earlier, in response to a telegraphed subpoena, Mr. Lawson notified the speaker he would sail for Europe Saturday.

Twenty-two Perish on Ferry.

London, Jan. 5.—A Central News dispatch from Amsterdam says that twenty-two women and children were drowned through the sinking of a ferryboat in a collision on the Moselle near Beilstein.

Venus and Jupiter.

The "earth's twin sister," Venus, is 37,000,000 miles from the sun. It receives more heat than we do. Very little is known of Venus, and so few markings are seen that it is not known whether Venus rotates on its axis once in twenty-four hours or once in 225 days.

Jupiter, the giant of the sun's family, is covered with a shell of clouds which change so rapidly that conditions there can be interpreted only in one way—that Jupiter is so large and it has cooled so slowly that it is still far too hot to support life.

Value of Knowledge.

Knowledge is like the coin of exchange. A man is justified, to a degree, in taking pride in its possession if he himself worked over the gold of it and tried to coin it or, at least, if he came by it honestly, already tested out. But when he did not do anything of the kind, but just got it from some passerby who threw it into his face, then what ground has he to boast of it?—John Ruskin.

Abnormal Situation.

"It is a wonder the majority of stenographers in business offices are female."

"Why is it?"

"Because that is the only position left in which a woman will let herself be dictated to."—Baltimore American.

Classified.

Heiress—I want every one to know that our engagement is broken. "All right. I'll have it put in the papers under the heading 'Business Troubles.'"—Life.

RICH SUSPECT ENDS OWN LIFE

Bernard W. Lewis of Pittsburg Cheats Officers.

WANTED IN GIRL MURDER CASE

Fires Shot Into Temple and Dies Instantly as Detectives Rap at Door of His Room in an Atlantic City Hotel.

Atlantic City, N. J. Jan. 5.—With his feet braced against the head of the bathtub, Bernard Wesley Lewis, scion of a wealthy Pittsburg family, wanted in connection with the murder of Maizie Colbert, the artists' model, in a Philadelphia apartment Saturday night last, pulled the trigger of a .22 caliber rifle in the bathroom adjoining his bedroom in the exclusive States Villa on States avenue as Detectives Farley and Totten of the local headquarters staff rapped for admittance on the door of his room.

Killed Instantly.

The shot entered the man's temple and death is believed to have been instantaneous. That Lewis anticipated arrest and made preparations to kill himself is indicated by the fact that the rifle was new.

Thursday Captain of Detectives Malzed received a communication from Captain of Detectives Tate at Philadelphia, asking him to endeavor to locate Lewis. Detectives Farley and Totten were assigned to the case. They learned that the father of Lewis, Wenman Lewis, a retired coal operator living in the east end of Pittsburg, resided in a house near the States Villa about four years ago.

Hasten to Villa.

On inquiry they learned that Bernard Lewis was known at States Villa, but he had not arrived at the house, and there was then no indication that he would do so.

Later word came over the telephone to Captain Malzed's office that a man answering Lewis' description had entered States Villa and was then eating dinner. Farley and Totten rushed to the house on States avenue.

Upon inquiry from a maid at the door they learned that Lewis had gone to his room on the third floor. They hurried up the stairs and rapped on the door of the bedroom.

"Who is there?" Lewis called out. "We have a message for you," Farley answered. "Let us in."

"All right," was the reply. A moment later the detectives heard a door bang inside the room. They first thought Lewis was attempting to escape through a window. They hurried to an adjoining room from which there was a communicating door to the bathroom of Lewis' apartment.

As they tried the door the rifle shot rang out.

POLICE THINK LEWIS SLAYER

Philadelphia Authorities Had Warrants for His Arrest.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—The death by his own hand in an Atlantic City hotel of Bernard W. Lewis, the wealthy young Pittsburg, as he was about to be arrested in connection with the murder of Maizie Colbert, the artists' model, the police declare leads them to believe that he had knowledge of the crime, even if he was not actually the slayer.

Although reports from Atlantic City said that Lewis had left no written statement, local authorities were hopeful that something would be found among his effects to clear up the mystery, which for days baffled the efforts of the score or more detectives.

A warrant for Lewis' arrest on the technical charge of defrauding a taxicab driver out of his fare early Friday, the day the crime is believed to have been committed, was issued and flyers were sent broadcast by the police with a description of the Pittsburger.

Lewis' name had been furnished the authorities by Misses Ethel and Mabel Kyle, sisters, both of whom were public school teachers, who said that the young man had taken them home in a taxicab after a dinner party downtown. Elwood Powell, the chauffeur, in an affidavit before a magistrate, stated he had later taken the man to the apartment house where Miss Colbert lived.

Farmer Saves Train From Wreckers.

Salinas, Cal., Jan. 5.—Sheriff's deputies are searching the country about Salinas for two men who attempted to wreck the Shore Line Limited on the Southern Pacific by fastening a log chain to the rails. The plans were frustrated by Paul Christensen, farmer. He got a lantern and flagged the train 100 feet from the obstruction.

Duma Member Slain.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The assassination of M. Jollos, an influential member of the Russian duma, is reported by the Overseas News agency. According to this report, M. Jollos disappeared mysteriously a short time ago, and it is believed he was the victim of a political murder.

KEITH NEVILLE SWORN IN

Youngest Governor Nebraska Ever Had Inaugurated.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 5.—Keith Neville, youngest governor Nebraska ever had, was inaugurated here. He is thirty-three years old.

The inaugural ceremony, brief and simple, took place at a joint session in the hall of the house of representatives.

Governor Elect Neville was escorted to the hall by a committee from the two houses and Chief Justice A. H. Morrissey of the supreme court administered the official oath and after the other state officers were sworn in Governor Neville delivered his message to the legislature.

HEEDS PLEA OF HIS WIFE

Former Convict Finds and Returns Jewels Worth \$15,000.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—A rope of sixty-two pearls, valued at \$15,000, which Mrs. Charles L. Hutchinson, wife of a local banker, lost while shopping last Tuesday, has been restored to her.

According to the story made public the pearls were found by a man who recently was released from Moyamensing penitentiary, Philadelphia, after serving a long term for safe blowing and who, despite straitened circumstances, heeded the pleas of his wife to restore the jewels to the owner.

EFFORT TO LOCATE THE LEAK

House Rules Committee Will Conduct Hearings.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Public hearings on Representative Wood's "leak" charges in connection with President Wilson's peace note will begin at once before the house rules committee.

Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, Representative Wood and Representative Gardner of Massachusetts will be the first witnesses heard.

Lawson was subpoenaed by telegraph.

Arrangements for the hearing were made by unanimous vote of the rules committee.

Arrest Trio at Fire.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 5.—Fire thought to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed the big ice houses of the Harry Lawler company here. Sheriff Jacob Herrmann and special deputies confined three suspects in an ice house which escaped the flames. A strike of ice cutters was settled recently and all except 100 men, said to be members of the I. W. W., returned to work.

Woodsmen Are Freed.

Virginia, Minn., Jan. 5.—Fifty-three woodsmen arraigned in municipal court here were discharged on motion of the county attorney. They were charged with coercion, it being alleged they were members of the I. W. W., "rebel gang" that drove working lumberjacks from their camps. Evidence was insufficient.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 4.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.92½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.91½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.83½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.81½; No. 4 Northern, \$1.79½; No. 5 Northern, \$1.77½; No. 6 Northern, \$1.75½; No. 7 Northern, \$1.73½; No. 8 Northern, \$1.71½; No. 9 Northern, \$1.69½; No. 10 Northern, \$1.67½; No. 11 Northern, \$1.65½; No. 12 Northern, \$1.63½; No. 13 Northern, \$1.61½; No. 14 Northern, \$1.59½; No. 15 Northern, \$1.57½; No. 16 Northern, \$1.55½; No. 17 Northern, \$1.53½; No. 18 Northern, \$1.51½; No. 19 Northern, \$1.49½; No. 20 Northern, \$1.47½; No. 21 Northern, \$1.45½; No. 22 Northern, \$1.43½; No. 23 Northern, \$1.41½; No. 24 Northern, \$1.39½; No. 25 Northern, \$1.37½; No. 26 Northern, \$1.35½; No. 27 Northern, \$1.33½; No. 28 Northern, \$1.31½; No. 29 Northern, \$1.29½; No. 30 Northern, \$1.27½; No. 31 Northern, \$1.25½; No. 32 Northern, \$1.23½; No. 33 Northern, \$1.21½; No. 34 Northern, \$1.19½; No. 35 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 36 Northern, \$1.15½; No. 37 Northern, \$1.13½; No. 38 Northern, \$1.11½; No. 39 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 40 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 41 Northern, \$1.05½; No. 42 Northern, \$1.03½; No. 43 Northern, \$1.01½; No. 44 Northern, \$0.99½; No. 45 Northern, \$0.97½; No. 46 Northern, \$0.95½; No. 47 Northern, \$0.93½; No. 48 Northern, \$0.91½; No. 49 Northern, \$0.89½; No. 50 Northern, \$0.87½; No. 51 Northern, \$0.85½; No. 52 Northern, \$0.83½; No. 53 Northern, \$0.81½; No. 54 Northern, \$0.79½; No. 55 Northern, \$0.77½; No. 56 Northern, \$0.75½; No. 57 Northern, \$0.73½; No. 58 Northern, \$0.71½; No. 59 Northern, \$0.69½; No. 60 Northern, \$0.67½; No. 61 Northern, \$0.65½; No. 62 Northern, \$0.63½; No. 63 Northern, \$0.61½; No. 64 Northern, \$0.59½; No. 65 Northern, \$0.57½; No. 66 Northern, \$0.55½; No. 67 Northern, \$0.53½; No. 68 Northern, \$0.51½; No. 69 Northern, \$0.49½; No. 70 Northern, \$0.47½; No. 71 Northern, \$0.45½; No. 72 Northern, \$0.43½; No. 73 Northern, \$0.41½; No. 74 Northern, \$0.39½; No. 75 Northern, \$0.37½; No. 76 Northern, \$0.35½; No. 77 Northern, \$0.33½; No. 78 Northern, \$0.31½; No. 79 Northern, \$0.29½; No. 80 Northern, \$0.27½; No. 81 Northern, \$0.25½; No. 82 Northern, \$0.23½; No. 83 Northern, \$0.21½; No. 84 Northern, \$0.19½; No. 85 Northern, \$0.17½; No. 86 Northern, \$0.15½; No. 87 Northern, \$0.13½; No. 88 Northern, \$0.11½; No. 89 Northern, \$0.09½; No. 90 Northern, \$0.07½; No. 91 Northern, \$0.05½; No. 92 Northern, \$0.03½; No. 93 Northern, \$0.01½; No. 94 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 95 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 96 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 97 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 98 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 99 Northern, \$0.00½; No. 100 Northern, \$0.00½.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Jan. 4.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.97½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.96½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.86½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.85½; No. 4 Northern, \$1.84½; No. 5 Northern, \$1.83½; No. 6 Northern, \$1.82½; No. 7 Northern, \$1.81½; No. 8 Northern, \$1.80½; No. 9 Northern, \$1.79½; No. 10 Northern, \$1.78½; No. 11 Northern, \$1.77½; No. 12 Northern, \$1.76½; No. 13 Northern, \$1.75½; No. 14 Northern, \$1.74½; No. 15 Northern, \$1.73½; No. 16 Northern, \$1.72½; No. 17 Northern, \$1.71½; No. 18 Northern, \$1.70½; No. 19 Northern, \$1.69½; No. 20 Northern, \$1.68½; No. 21 Northern, \$1.67½; No. 22 Northern, \$1.66½; No. 23 Northern, \$1.65½; No. 24 Northern, \$1.64½; No. 25 Northern, \$1.63½; No. 26 Northern, \$1.62½; No. 27 Northern, \$1.61½; No. 28 Northern, \$1.60½; No. 29 Northern, \$1.59½; No. 30 Northern, \$1.58½; No. 31 Northern, \$1.57½; No. 32 Northern, \$1.56½; No. 33 Northern, \$1.55½; No. 34 Northern, \$1.54½; No. 35 Northern, \$1.53½; No. 36 Northern, \$1.52½; No. 37 Northern, \$1.51½; No. 38 Northern, \$1.50½; No. 39 Northern, \$1.49½; No. 40 Northern, \$1.48½; No. 41 Northern, \$1.47½; No. 42 Northern, \$1.46½; No. 43 Northern, \$1.45½; No. 44 Northern, \$1.44½; No. 45 Northern, \$1.43½; No. 46 Northern, \$1.42½; No. 47 Northern, \$1.41½; No. 48 Northern, \$1.40½; No. 49 Northern, \$1.39½; No. 50 Northern, \$1.38½; No. 51 Northern, \$1.37½; No. 52 Northern, \$1.36½; No. 53 Northern, \$1.35½; No. 54 Northern, \$1.34½; No. 55 Northern, \$1.33½; No. 56 Northern, \$1.32½; No. 57 Northern, \$1.31½; No. 58 Northern, \$1.30½; No. 59 Northern, \$1.29½; No. 60 Northern, \$1.28½; No. 61 Northern, \$1.27½; No. 62 Northern, \$1.26½; No. 63 Northern, \$1.25½; No. 64 Northern, \$1.24½; No. 65 Northern, \$1.23½; No. 66 Northern, \$1.22½; No. 67 Northern, \$1.21½; No. 68 Northern, \$1.20½; No. 69 Northern, \$1.19½; No. 70 Northern, \$1.18½; No. 71 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 72 Northern, \$1.16½; No. 73 Northern, \$1.15½; No. 74 Northern, \$1.14½; No. 75 Northern, \$1.13½; No. 76 Northern, \$1.12½; No. 77 Northern, \$1.11½; No. 78 Northern, \$1.10½; No. 79 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 80 Northern, \$1.08½; No. 81 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 82 Northern, \$1.06½; No. 83 Northern, \$1.05½; No. 84 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 85 Northern, \$1.03½; No. 86 Northern, \$1.02½; No. 87 Northern, \$1.01½; No. 88 Northern, \$1.00½; No. 89 Northern, \$0.99½; No. 90 Northern, \$0.98½; No. 91 Northern, \$0.97½; No. 92 Northern, \$0.96½; No. 93 Northern, \$0.95½; No. 94 Northern, \$0.94½; No. 95 Northern, \$0.93½; No. 96 Northern, \$0.92½; No. 97 Northern, \$0.91½; No. 98 Northern, \$0.90½; No. 99 Northern, \$0.89½; No. 100 Northern, \$0.88½.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat—May, \$1.84½; July, \$1.80½; Corn—May, 97½c; July, 96½c; Oats—May, 57½c; July, 54½c; Pork—May, \$27.50; Butter—Creameries, 29c; Eggs—38¢@40c; Poultry—Springs, 18½c; fowls, 17c; turkeys, 23c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 4.—Wheat—May, \$1.89½; July, \$1.80½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.97½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.90½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.86½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.86½; No. 4 Northern, \$1.85½; No. 5 Northern, \$1.84½; No. 6 Northern, \$1.83½; No. 7 Northern, \$1.82½; No. 8 Northern, \$1.81½; No. 9 Northern, \$1.80½; No. 10 Northern, \$1.79½; No. 11 Northern, \$1.78½; No. 12 Northern, \$1.77½; No. 13 Northern, \$1.76½; No. 14 Northern, \$1.75½; No. 15 Northern, \$1.74½; No. 16 Northern, \$1.73½; No. 17 Northern, \$1.72½; No. 18 Northern, \$1.71½; No. 19 Northern, \$1.70½; No. 20 Northern, \$1.69½; No. 21 Northern, \$1.68½; No. 22 Northern, \$1.67½; No. 23 Northern, \$1.66½; No. 24 Northern, \$1.65½; No. 25 Northern, \$1.64½; No. 26 Northern, \$1.63½; No. 27 Northern, \$1.62½; No. 28 Northern, \$1.61½; No. 29 Northern, \$1.60½; No. 30 Northern, \$1.59½; No. 31 Northern, \$1.58½; No. 32 Northern, \$1.57½; No. 33 Northern, \$1.56½; No. 34 Northern, \$1.55½; No. 35 Northern, \$1.54½; No. 36 Northern, \$1.53½; No. 37 Northern, \$1.52½; No. 38 Northern, \$1.51½; No. 39 Northern, \$1.50½; No. 40 Northern, \$1.49½; No. 41 Northern, \$1.48½; No. 42 Northern, \$1.47½; No. 43 Northern, \$1.46½; No. 44 Northern, \$1.45½; No. 45 Northern, \$1.44½; No. 46 Northern, \$1.43½; No. 47 Northern, \$1.42½; No. 48 Northern, \$1.41½; No. 49 Northern, \$1.40½; No. 50 Northern, \$1.39½; No. 51 Northern, \$1.38½; No. 52 Northern, \$1.37½; No. 53 Northern, \$1.36½; No. 54 Northern, \$1.35½; No. 55 Northern, \$1.34½; No. 56 Northern, \$1.33½; No. 57 Northern, \$1.32½; No. 58 Northern, \$1.31½; No. 59 Northern, \$1.30½; No. 60 Northern, \$1.29½; No. 61 Northern, \$1.28½; No. 62 Northern, \$1.27½; No. 63 Northern, \$1.26½; No. 64 Northern, \$1.25½; No. 65 Northern, \$1.24½; No. 66 Northern, \$1.23½; No. 67 Northern, \$1.22½; No. 68 Northern, \$1.21½; No. 69 Northern, \$1.20½; No. 70 Northern, \$1.19½; No. 71 Northern, \$1.18½; No. 72 Northern, \$1.17½; No. 73 Northern, \$1.16½; No. 74 Northern, \$1.15½; No. 75 Northern, \$1.14½; No. 76 Northern, \$1.13½; No. 77 Northern, \$1.12½; No. 78 Northern, \$1.11½; No. 79 Northern, \$1.10½; No. 80 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 81 Northern, \$1.08½; No. 82 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 83 Northern, \$1.06½; No. 84 Northern, \$1.05½; No. 85 Northern, \$1.04½; No. 86 Northern, \$1.03½; No. 87 Northern, \$1.02½; No. 88 Northern, \$1.01½; No. 89 Northern, \$1.00½; No. 90 Northern, \$0.99½; No. 91 Northern, \$0.98½; No. 92 Northern, \$0.97½; No. 93 Northern, \$0.96½; No. 94 Northern, \$0.95½; No. 95 Northern, \$0.94½; No. 96 Northern, \$0.93½; No. 97 Northern, \$0.92½; No. 98 Northern, \$0.91½; No. 99 Northern, \$0.90½; No. 100 Northern, \$0.89½.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Jan. 4.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$14.50; No. 1 timothy, \$14.00@14.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$12.00@12.75; choice upland, \$13.25; No. 1 upland, \$12.50@12.25; No. 1 midland, \$9.00@9.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$16.00@16.75.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,900; steers, \$4.50@11.25; cows and heifers, \$1.25@8.50; calves, \$4.00@12.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.75; Hogs—Receipts, 12,500; range, \$9.65@9.80; Sheep—Receipts, 3,200; lambs, \$7.25@12.50; wethers, \$6.00@10.50; ewes, \$3.00@8.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; steers, \$7.50@11.80; cows and heifers, \$4.30@10.00; calves, \$9.00@13.00; Hogs—Receipts, 34,000; light, \$9.50@10.30; mixed, \$9.85@10.55; heavy, \$10.00@10.55; rough, \$10.00@10.15; pigs, \$7.60@9.35; Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; native, \$9.15@10.50; lambs, \$11.25@13.65.

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